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# **Tiered Environment Review** for Activity/Project that is **Categorically Excluded Subject to Section 58.5** Pursuant to 24 CFR 58.35(a)

| roject Information   |   |  |  |
|--|---|--|--|
| Project Name:  | City-of-Wyoming-2022-2023-Property-Acquisition  |  |  |
| HEROS<br>Number:   | 90000010295690                                  |  |  |
| Responsible Ent<br>(RE):                                   | ity WYOMING, FINANCE DIRECTOR WYOMING MI, 49509 |  |  |
| State / Local<br>Identifier:                               |   |  |  |
| RE Preparer: Stephanie Brock-Knoper                        |   |  |  |
| Certifying<br>Officer:                                     | John McCarter                                   |  |  |
| Grant Recipient (if different than Responsible<br>Entity): |   |  |  |
| Point of Contact   | ::  |  |  |
| Consultant (if applicable):                                |   |  |  |
| Point of Contact   | ::  |  |  |
| Project<br>Location:                                       | Wyoming, MI 49509                               |  |  |
|  |   |  |  |

### **Additional Location Information:**

Actual property and parcel information is not finalized. Location data will be entered in the Tier II review that's completed for the project.

#### **Direct Comments**

to:

## Description of the Proposed Project [24 CFR 50.12 & 58.32; 40 CFR 1508.25]:

Vacant land will be acquired in low/moderate income areas within the City of Wyoming for the purposes of blight remediation and to allow for the creation of new housing units. Land will be purchased with 2022-2023 CDBG funding. No construction, demolition or land conversion will take place in this program year.

#### Maps, photographs, and other documentation of project location and description:

Approximate size of the project

1/8 square mile

area:

Length of time covered by this

1 Year

review:

## Maximum number of dwelling units or lots addressed by this tiered review:

3

#### **Level of Environmental Review Determination:**

Categorically Excluded per 24 CFR 58.35(a), and subject to laws and authorities at §58.5: 58.35(a)(5)

#### **Determination:**

|  |   | Extraordinary circumstances exist and this project may result in significant environmental |  |  |  |
|--|---|--|--|--|--|
| impact. This project requires preparation of an Environmental Assessment |   |  |  |  |  |
| Γ  | ✓ | ✓ There are no extraordinary circumstances which would require completion of an EA, and    |  |  |  |
|  |   | this project may remain CEST.  |  |  |  |
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## **Approval Documents:**

7015.15 certified by Certifying Officer

on:

7015.16 certified by Authorizing Officer

on:

## **Funding Information**

| <b>Grant Number</b> | HUD Program            | Program Name                              |
|---------------------|------------------------|---|
|                     | Community Planning and | Community Development Block Grants (CDBG) |
| 202215              | Development (CPD)      | (Entitlement)                             |

| City-of-Wyoming-2022-<br>2023-Property-Acquisition | Wyoming, MI |              | 90000010295690 |
|--|-------------|--------------|----------------|
| Estimated Total HUD Funded Amount:                 | \$250,000.0 | 0            |                |
| Estimated Total Project Cost [24 CF                | FR 58.2 (a) | \$250,000.00 |                |

# Compliance with 24 CFR §50.4, §58.5 and §58.6 Laws and Authorities

(5)]:

| Compliance Factors:<br>Statutes, Executive Orders, and<br>Regulations listed at 24 CFR §50.4,<br>§58.5, and §58.6 | Was compliance<br>achieved at the<br>broad level of<br>review? | Describe here compliance determinations made at the broad level and source documentation.   |
|---|--|---|
| STATUTES, EXECUTIVE ORE   | DERS, AND REGULAT  | IONS LISTED AT 24 CFR §50.4 & § 58.6  |
| Airport Hazards   | ☑ Yes □ No   | Based on the project description the project includes no activities that would require further evaluation under this section. The project is in compliance with Airport Runway Clear Zone requirements. The project sites are not within 15,000 feet of a military airport or 2,500 feet of a civilian airport. See the attached map showing the distance from the nearest airport.   |
| Coastal Barrier Resources Act   | ☑ Yes □ No   | This project is not located in a CBRS Unit. Therefore, this project has no potential to impact a CBRS Unit and is in compliance with the Coastal Barrier Resources Act. The City of Wyoming is located over 25 miles from a Coastal Zone. See the attached FEMA Flood Insurance Rate map containing the relevant Community Panel Numbers and the CBRS System Mapping.                 |
| Flood Insurance   | ☑ Yes □ No   | Based on the project description the project includes no activities that would require further evaluation under this section. The project does not require flood insurance or is excepted from flood insurance. While flood insurance may not be mandatory in this instance, HUD recommends that all insurable structures maintain flood insurance under the National Flood Insurance |

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|                              |                      | Program (NFIP). The project is in           |
|------------------------------|----------------------|---|
|                              |                      | compliance with Flood Insurance             |
|                              |                      | requirements. See attached FEMA Flood       |
|                              |                      | Insurance Rate Map containing the           |
|                              |                      |   |
|                              |                      | relevant Community Panel Numbers.           |
|                              |                      | Also see the attached City of Wyoming       |
|                              |                      | Land Use Plan 2020 Natural Features         |
|                              |                      | Map.  |
| STATUTES, EXECUTIVE ORD      | DERS, AND REGULATION | ONS LISTED AT 24 CFR §50.4 & § 58.5         |
| Air Quality                  | ☑ Yes □ No           | Based on the project description, this      |
|                              |                      | project includes no activities that would   |
|                              |                      | require further evaluation under the        |
|                              |                      | Clean Air Act as the activity is limited to |
|                              |                      | the acquisition and not construction or     |
|                              |                      | demolition. The project is in compliance    |
|                              |                      | with the Clean Air Act.                     |
| Coastal Zone Management Act  | ☑ Yes □ No           | This project is not located in or does not  |
| Coastal Zolle Management Act | LE TES LE INO        | affect a Coastal Zone as defined in the     |
|                              |                      |   |
|                              |                      | state Coastal Management Plan. The          |
|                              |                      | project is in compliance with the Coastal   |
|                              |                      | Zone Management Act. The City of            |
|                              |                      | Wyoming is located over 25 miles from       |
|                              |                      | a Coastal Zone. See the FEMA flood          |
|                              |                      | insurance rate map containing the           |
|                              |                      | relevant community panel numbers.           |
| Contamination and Toxic      | ☑ Yes □ No           | On-site or nearby toxic, hazardous, or      |
| Substances                   |                      | radioactive substances that could affect    |
|                              |                      | the health and safety of project            |
|                              |                      | occupants or conflict with the intended     |
|                              |                      | use of the property were not found. The     |
|                              |                      | project is in compliance with               |
|                              |                      | contamination and toxic substances          |
|                              |                      | requirements. This activity is solely for   |
|                              |                      | property acquisition and not                |
|                              |                      | construction or demolition.                 |
| Forder and Consider Ast      |                      |   |
| Endangered Species Act       | ☑ Yes □ No           | This project will have No Effect on listed  |
|                              |                      | species due to the nature of the            |
|                              |                      | activities involved in the project, which   |
|                              |                      | are property acquisition and not            |
|                              |                      | construction or demolition. This project    |
|                              |                      | is in compliance with the Endangered        |
|                              |                      | Species Act. See the Michigan Natural       |
|                              |                      | features inventory for Kent County          |
|                              |                      | endangered plants & animals and the         |
|                              |                      | attached Endangered Species in              |
|                              |                      | Michigan-Kent County Distribution.          |
|                              |                      | whengan Kent County Distribution.           |

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| Explosive and Flammable Hazards | ☑ Yes □ No | Based on the project description the      |
|---------------------------------|------------|---|
| Explosive and Hammable Hazards  | Les Livo   | project includes no activities that would |
|                                 |            | ' '                                       |
|                                 |            | require further evaluation under this     |
|                                 |            | section. The project is in compliance     |
|                                 |            | with explosive and flammable hazard       |
|                                 |            | requirements. This activity is limited to |
|                                 |            | property acquisition only.                |
| Farmlands Protection            | ☑ Yes □ No | This project does not include any         |
|                                 |            | activities that could potentially convert |
|                                 |            | agricultural land to a non-agricultural   |
|                                 |            | use. The project is in compliance with    |
|                                 |            | the Farmland Protection Policy Act. This  |
|                                 |            | activity is limited to property           |
|                                 |            | acquisition.                              |
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| Floodplain Management           | ☑ Yes □ No | This project does not occur in a          |
|                                 |            | floodplain and it is limited to property  |
|                                 |            | acquisition. The project is in compliance |
|                                 |            | with Executive Order 11988. See the       |
|                                 |            | FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Map             |
|                                 |            | containing the relevant Community         |
|                                 |            | Panel Numbers and the City of             |
|                                 |            | Wyoming Land Use Plan 2020 Natural        |
|                                 |            | Features Map in Appendix B.               |
| Historic Preservation           | ☑ Yes □ No | Based on the project description the      |
|                                 |            | project has No Potential to Cause         |
|                                 |            | Effects. The project is in compliance     |
|                                 |            | with Section 106. No historic properties  |
|                                 |            | anticipated. We will follow all rules in  |
|                                 |            | _   |
|                                 |            | the Memorandum, dated February 2005       |
|                                 |            | concerning the applicable Section 106     |
|                                 |            | consultation process. If an existing      |
|                                 |            | property is purchased for renovation,     |
|                                 |            | we will submit cases, prior to rehab, if  |
|                                 |            | over 50 years old.                        |
| Noise Abatement and Control     | ☑ Yes □ No | Based on the project description, this    |
|                                 |            | project includes no activities that would |
|                                 |            | require further evaluation under HUD's    |
|                                 |            | noise regulation. The project is in       |
|                                 |            | compliance with HUD's Noise               |
|                                 |            | regulation. The properties will be        |
|                                 |            | located in residential zones and will not |
|                                 |            | be within 1,000 feet of a major           |
|                                 |            | ·   |
|                                 |            | roadway, 3,000 feet from a railroad, or   |
|                                 |            | 15 miles from an airport. See the Airport |
|                                 |            | Location Map 2020 in Appendix B.          |
| Sole Source Aquifers            | ☑ Yes □ No | The project is not located on a sole      |
|                                 |            | source aquifer area. The project is in    |

|                              |            | compliance with Sole Source Aquifer       |
|------------------------------|------------|---|
|                              |            | compliance with Sole Source Aquifer       |
|                              |            | requirements. Michigan does not have      |
|                              |            | any Sole Source Aquifers.                 |
| Wetlands Protection          | ☑ Yes □ No | Based on the project description this     |
|                              |            | project includes no activities that would |
|                              |            | require further evaluation under this     |
|                              |            | section. The project is in compliance     |
|                              |            | with Executive Order 11990. The project   |
|                              |            | is limited to property acquisition and    |
|                              |            | not new construction or demolition. See   |
|                              |            | the City of Wyoming Wetland Map in        |
|                              |            | Appendix B.                               |
| Wild and Scenic Rivers Act   | ☑ Yes □ No | This project is not within proximity of a |
| Villa and Seeme Hivers / let |            | NWSRS river. The project is in            |
|                              |            | compliance with the Wild and Scenic       |
|                              |            | Rivers Act. See the Michigan Natural      |
|                              |            | _   |
|                              |            | Rivers Map and the National Wild and      |
|                              |            | Scenic Rivers Map.                        |
| ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE        |            |   |
| Environmental Justice        | ☑ Yes □ No | No adverse environmental impacts were     |
|                              |            | identified in the project's total         |
|                              |            | environmental review. The project is in   |
|                              |            | compliance with Executive Order 12898.    |
|                              |            | Members of low income and minority        |
|                              |            | groups will not be placed in harm's way   |
|                              |            | as a result of this activity.             |
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### **Supporting documentation**

CBRS System Mapper.pdf

CBRS System Mapper(1).pdf

MI Natural Features Inventory for Kent Co-Endangered Plants\_Animals.pdf

Michigan Natural Rivers Map.pdf

Endangered Species in Michigan - Kent County.pdf

Wyoming Natural Features 2020 Land Use Plan.pdf

FEMA Map-City of Wyoming.pdf

Wyoming Natural Features 2020 Land Use Plan(1).pdf

FEMA Map-City of Wyoming(1).pdf

Wetland Map Updated.pdf

National Wild and Scenic Rivers Map.pdf

National Wild and Scenic Rivers Map.pdf

Michigan Natural Rivers Map(1).pdf

Airport Location Map 2020.pdf

Airport Location Map 2020(1).pdf

## **Written Strategies**

The following strategies provide the policy, standard, or process to be followed in the site-specific review for each law, authority, and factor that will require completion of a site-specific review.

## **Supporting documentation**

Rehab Project Tier II Template.docx

**APPENDIX A: Site Specific Reviews** 

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